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TO AMEMBASSY LUSAKA NIACT IMMEDIATE
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INFO AMEMBASSY PRETORIA IMMEDIATE
AMEMBASSY LONDON IMMEDIATE

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EXDIS - LONDON FOR MOOSE/PETTERSON.OTHER ADDRESSES FOR AMBS.

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: RH, PDEV, UK

SUBJECT: DELIVERY OF CALLAGHAN LETTERS TO PRESIDENTS

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FOLLOWING REPEAT STATE 197393 ACTION LUSAKA GABORONE MAPUTO
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